

YELLOWSTONE PARK



Yellowstone National Park

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INTRODUCTION.

What do you know about summer camping in the Yellowstone National Park? The purpose of this hand-book is to describe in detail this Wonderland of the World and the Wylie Permanent Camping Company's delightful system of permanent camps. This unique system is the result neither of accident nor hastily conceived design. For the service now offered to the traveling public is based on an experience of twenty-six years in this great National Reservation, dedicated to "the benefit and enjoyment of the people."

The camping experience which the "Wylie Way" offers is unlike anything that the traveling public has met with elsewhere in ordinary camping-out. Licensed and controlled by the United States Government, the Wylie Company holds out a chain of eight permanent summer stations, located at the centers of interest; and a well-equipped and commodious stage line operated in conjunction therewith. The merit of the "Wylie Way" will equal the requirements of all who aim to secure a leisurely and comprehensive outing tour, combining withal comfort and economy. The Wylie Company **operates daily**, June 15—September 15, from both Park entrances—the North Gateway, Gardiner, Mont., and the West Gateway, Yellowstone Station, Mont. Tourists can make the complete Yellowstone Park tour from either entrance or they can enter one entrance and depart the other.

YELLOWSTONE PARK IN GENERAL.

AREA AND LOCATION. Yellowstone National Park, set apart by act of Congress March 1, 1872, consists of a tract 62 miles long from North to South and 54 miles wide from East to West, with an area of 3,348 square miles. National forests, contiguous on all sides, increase the total area of adjacent government reservations to over 17,000 square miles. The bulk of the Park area lies in Wyoming with the northern and western edges overlapping into Montana and Idaho.

EARLY HISTORY. To the great indebtedness which a large part of the United States owes to the Lewis and Clark Expedition, may be added that of Yellowstone Park. As that expedition was returning to the States, in the autumn of 1806, one of its members, John Colter, turned back before the frontier settlements were reached and setting his face again toward the pathless wilderness, began a season of itinerant trapping and extensive exploration that lead him into the Yellowstone Park region in 1807. That this daring freelance of the forest was the first white man to see Yellowstone Lake, the Grand Canyon and perhaps Mammoth Hot Springs is hardly to be questioned. Colter did not see the geysers but he saw too much for his reputation's sake. "His stories were



Photo by Berry, Gardiner, Mont.

Christmas Tree Park—at West Entrance Gateway.

not believed," writes Col. H. M. Chittenden of U. S. C. E., "the author became the subject of jest and ridicule and the region was derisively known as 'Colter's Hell.'" Warren Ferris, American Fur Co. employee, visited the Upper Geyser Basin in 1834 and wrote the first reliable account of the wonders of the region. James Bridger, "the Daniel Boone of the Rockies," than whom a more picturesque figure was never drawn by any writer of romance, crossed and recrossed what are now the confines of the Park, numerous times between 1824 and 1844. By the latter date, he probably had seen all of the great scenic phenomena. Bridger was more of a raconteur than Colter and his tales of what he had actually seen were too much for the credulity of his auditors. When to this wonderful fabric of fact, he sometimes attached the frills which his vivid imagination created, the result rivaled Munchausen. But Bridger lived (1881) to see himself vindicated as to the essence of his narratives about the "Wonderland" at the head of the Missouri and the Yellowstone.

THE "DISCOVERY." The final discovery of Yellowstone Park, and by that is meant the exploration that first authentically made known to the world the scope and importance of the wonders of the region, was the Washburn-Doane Expedition of 1870. This party, consisting of nine citizens of Montana and a squad of five soldiers, was under the leadership of Gen. Washburn, Surveyor General of Montana. N. P. Langford, one of its guiding spirits,



Photo by Berry, Gardiner, Mont

North Entrance Gateway.

may well be called the historian of the expedition. It was the report of this party, backed up by the individual efforts of the members of the party, that led to the exploration of Chief Geologist Dr. F. V. Hayden in 1871 and finally to the setting aside of this region as a National Park in 1872.

GEOLOGY. The whole region has witnessed tremendous volcanic activity at a comparatively late geologic epoch, and the results of this action in the form of geysers, thermal springs, terrace and crater formations, cliffs of obsidian, deeply eroded canyons, petrifications, sulphur hills, solfataras and the like, are of the strangest and most startling description. In that epoch, lava was piled up to a depth of 2,000 feet.

While the volcanic activity and attendant heat belong to another age, the present high temperature of the subterranean rocks is believed to be resultant from that activity. It is the contact of these super-heated rocks and the snow water which has percolated downward through the fissure veins that produces the varied geyser and hot spring action. It is these manifold manifestations of hydrothermal activity and the eroded canyons, that has made Yellowstone the "Wonderland of the World."

FAUNA AND FLORA. To many visitors, the sight of wild animals, elk, deer, antelope, bear and smaller animals in the woods and meadows in the natural state and without fear is one of the most enjoyable experiences of the trip. Elk and deer are frequently seen near the roadway, while the bear—black, brown and grizzly—may be seen at evening time taking a belated meal at the refuse heaps. They are not dangerous, if not molested.

Most visitors are surprised to learn that 84 per cent of the area of the Park is forest, chiefly black pine, red fir, balsam, cottonwood and Englemann spruce. Scattered everywhere on open plain, mountain slope and in the forests, in endless profusion, are wild flowers of over two hundred kinds and almost as many hues.

FISHING. In the trout streams near the camps and especially in Yellowstone Lake, the disciples of Izaak Walton will find experiences never to be forgotten. About twenty years ago the United States Fish Commission began stocking the waters of the Park and these "plants" have been so general that there is now scarcely a stream that cannot be whipped successfully by an adept. The more important varieties of trout are the Von Behr, Loch Leven, Brook, Rainbow, Salmon, Silver, and Native Rocky Mountain. At the Wylie Lake Camp, even those who are unaccustomed to angling, can easily catch the large Salmon and Silver trout, weighing from 1 to 6

pounds. Last summer, a tourist from Highland, Cal., caught an 8 pound Rainbow trout in the Firehole River, near the Wylie Upper Geyser Basin Camp. The best of fishing will also be found near the upper falls of the Grand Canyon. Information about the few wise and simple restrictions that the government has placed on fishing, may be obtained at the Camps. No license is necessary.

GOVERNMENT. The Act of Dedication of the Park recites that the purposes of its creation are primarily to preserve its natural curiosities, forests and game "for the benefit and enjoyment of the people." To these ends, the Park is under the jurisdiction of the Interior Department, with local administrative authority vested in a Park Superintendent. Major Benson is the present incumbent, with headquarters at Ft. Yellowstone. His administration is being marked by a wise and impartial enforcement of federal regulations. These rules are posted promiscuously in conspicuous places and should be read by all tourists.

ROADS. Not the least factor in the comfort and enjoyment with which the traveler now makes the Yellowstone tour is the magnificent road system which has been developed under the persevering efforts of Col. H. M. Chittenden of the Corps of Engineers. In the laying out the roads, he has always endeavored to carry them where the scenery is best seen. The government has spent about \$1,500,000 upon the Park roads and no one who has had the pleasure of riding over them will say it has been spent in vain. The maximum grade is eight feet to the hundred; the road beds, gravel-surfaced and eighteen feet wide and kept free of stones and ruts. In 1908, thirty-five four-horse sprinklers were in operation.

Col. Chittenden's successors, including the present engineer, have devoted themselves to bringing the work which he initiated to a higher standard of construction and maintenance. The removal of road-side dead timber, the erection of railed platforms, and the placing of metallic sign boards, are among the more recent improvements.

PARK ENTRANCES.

FROM THE NORTH, VIA GARDINER, MONT.

At Livingston the Park branch to Gardiner (see map) leaves the main line of the Northern Pacific Railway. The general office of the Wylie Company is located opposite the station. Our Agent will be found at the station upon the arrival of all trains. See him for any information and register with him immediately on arrival. When you arrive at Gardiner, the Park Branch terminal,



East Wing of Wylie Swan Lake Camp—a beautiful outing vista.



Photo by Shipier, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Overlooking Jupiter Terrace, Mammoth Hot Springs.

you will be met by Wylie Coaches and Agent. Notice the name "Wylie Permanent Camps" on coaches and Agent's cap.

Railroad Fare Livingston to Gardiner and return\$3.30

FROM THE WEST, VIA YELLOWSTONE STATION, MONT.

The new branch of the Oregon Short Line to the West Entrance extends from Idaho Falls to Yellowstone Station, Mont. Tourists who make the Park side-trip from the following junction points:—Idaho Falls, Idaho; Pocatello, Idaho; Ogden, Utah; Salt Lake City, Utah (see map); use this line. See page 30 for Wylie Agencies at these points. Our Agents will be found at Yellowstone Station, Mont., depot on arrival of all trains. Note the name "Wylie Permanent Camps" on the coaches and blue caps of our agents.

Railroad Fares. To holders of transcontinental tickets, a round-trip, side-trip rate of \$8.75 to Yellowstone Station, the terminus of the railroad, and return is available from Salt Lake City, Ogden and Pocatello. Wylie Agency, Salt Lake, 219 Main St., will assist you in buying side-trip tickets, etc.

Local rates, for those not holding transcontinental tickets, follow:

Salt Lake City to Yellowstone Station and return\$17.00
Ogden to Yellowstone Station, the terminus of the railroad, and return..... 15.25
Pocatello or Idaho Falls to Yellowstone Station and return..... 8.75

SCHEDULE OF CHARGES.

North Entrance.

SIX DAY TOUR. From Gardiner, Montana, via Upper Geyser Basin, Lake, Grand Canyon, Norris, Swan Lake, including transportation, board, lodging and guides\$40.00
CHILDREN under ten years of age 20.00
TOURISTS making the regular trip, entering Gardiner, Montana, north side, and leaving Oregon Short Line Terminal, west side, due notice given, extra (being transient rates from Norris to Riverside via Gibbon). 5.00

West Entrance.

SIX DAY TOUR. From Oregon Short Line Terminus to our Riverside Camp, thence via Upper Geyser Basin, Lake, Grand Canyon, Mammoth Hot Springs, Swan Lake, Norris and Gibbon to same railroad station.... 40.00

FIVE DAY TOUR. From Oregon Short Line Terminus to our Riverside Camp, thence via Upper Geyser Basin, Lake, Grand Canyon, Norris and Gibbon.....\$35.00
Persons taking the regular \$40 trip, with board and lodging, entering the Park at west entrance, can leave by Gardiner, north entrance, in lieu of returning to Yellowstone Station, without extra charge, when due notice is given at Riverside or Canyon Camp.

Children under ten years of age, half of above rate.

All above rates include board, lodging and guide.

Ten day trips: To tourists stopping a total of 10 days or more, a special rate will be granted.

MINOR CHARGES.

OVERTIME, in addition to above rates, board and lodging per day..\$ 3.00
RETAINING MOUNTAIN SPRING WAGON OR SURREY when practicable (two or three seats), two-horse team and driver, overtime per day (additional to regular charge) 5.00
RETAINING CONCORD COACH when practicable (four seats), four-horse team and driver, overtime per day (additional to regular charge) 8.00
No stop-over teams to go more than five miles from camp.
WHEELMEN and persons with their own conveyances, per day.... 3.00
FEEDING HORSES oats, per feed, each horse50
FEEDING HORSES hay, per feed, each horse50
MEALS. Single meals, per person75
LODGING, per person 1.00
BATHS. Sulphur Baths, Upper Geyser Basin and Camp Roosevelt, each bath50
SADDLE HORSES, per day 3.00
TRUNKS to Riverside Camp or Gardiner Hotel and return to station50



Photo by Shipier, Salt Lake City, Utah.

Golden Gate Canon.

COACH FARE FOR TRANSIENT PASSENGERS.

Gardiner to Swan Lake	\$ 3.00
Swan Lake to Upper Geyser Basin	5.00
Upper Geyser Basin to Thumb of Lake	4.00
Thumb to Lake Outlet (Lake Camp)	3.00
Lake Camp to Grand Canyon	3.00
Grand Canyon to Swan Lake	4.00
Grand Canyon to Norris	2.00
Norris to Mammoth Hot Springs	3.50
Gibbon Camp to Upper Geyser Basin	3.00
Riverside Camp to Gibbon Camp	3.00
Norris Basin to Swan Lake	2.00
Grand Canyon to Camp Roosevelt, via Dunraven Pass	4.00
Gardiner to Camp Roosevelt	4.00

No team will be sent to Camp Roosevelt with less than two tourists.
No team will be sent out at any time without our driver.
Bicycles carried at a cost of 50 cents each between any two stations.

ITINERARY NO. 1.

From Gardiner, Mont., North Entrance.

First Day. Leave Gardiner at 12 M., arrive at Swan Lake at 3:00 P. M. Tourists arriving in Gardiner on the afternoon special, about 5 P. M., are taken to Swan Lake the same evening, except when not advisable.

Second Day. Leave Swan Lake at 7:00 A. M., arrive at Gibbon Lunch Station 12:00 M. Leave Gibbon Lunch Station at 1:30 P. M., arrive Upper Geyser Basin Camp 5:00 P. M.

Third Day. Entire day spent in the Upper Geyser Basin, affording ample time for a comprehensive tour of the region.

Fourth Day. Leave Upper Geyser Basin 7:30 A. M., arrive at Thumb Lunch Station 12:00 M. Leave Thumb 2:00 P. M., arrive Lake Camp 4:45 P. M.

Fifth Day. Leave Lake Camp 7:30 A. M., arrive at Grand Canyon 10:30 A. M., at Canyon Camp 11:30 A. M. Remainder of the day spent in viewing Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone River.

Sixth Day. Leave Canyon Camp 7:30 A. M., arrive Swan Lake Camp for lunch 12:00 M. Leave Swan Lake Camp 3:00 P. M., arrive at Gardiner 5:00 P. M., leave Gardiner depot 7:15 P. M.

ITINERARIES NO. 2.

From Oregon Short Line Park Terminus, West Entrance.

FIVE DAY TOUR. **First Day.** Arrive Yellowstone Station, Mont., 7:00 A. M., arrive Riverside Camp for breakfast, 7:15 A. M. Leave Riverside Camp 8:30 A. M., arrive Gibbon Lunch Station 11:30 A. M. Leave Gibbon Lunch Station 1:00 P. M., arrive Upper Geyser Basin Camp 4:30 P. M.

Second Day. Entire day spent in the Upper Geyser Basin, affording ample time for a comprehensive tour of the region.

Third Day. Leave Upper Geyser Basin 7:30 A. M., arrive at Thumb Lunch Station 12:00 M., leave Thumb Lunch Station 2:00 P. M., arrive Lake Camp 4:45 P. M.

Fourth Day. Leave Lake Camp 7:30 A. M., arrive at Grand Canyon 10:30 A. M., at Canyon Camp 11:30 A. M. Remainder of the day spent in viewing Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone River.

Fifth Day. Leave Canyon Camp 8:00 A. M., arrive Gibbon Lunch Station 12:00 M. Leave Gibbon Lunch Station 1:45 P. M., arrive Riverside Camp 5:00 P. M. Leave Oregon Short Line Ry. Station 6:45 P. M.

SIX DAY TOUR. FIRST FOUR DAYS same as described under five day tour.

Fifth Day. Leave Canyon Camp 7:30 A. M., arrive Swan Lake Camp for lunch 12:00 M., Leave Swan Lake



Old Faithful—King of Geyserland.

Camp 1:30 P. M., for Mammoth Hot Springs Tour, arrive Swan Lake on return 5:00 P. M.

Sixth Day. Leave Swan Lake Camp 7:00 A. M., arrive Gibbon Lunch Station 12:00 M. Leave Gibbon Lunch Station 1:45 P. M., arrive Riverside Camp 5:00 P. M. Leave Oregon Short Line Ry. Station 6:45 P. M.

These schedules subject to change, at any time.

ABOUT THE "WYLIE WAY."

"PERMANENT."

Sometimes prospective travelers have not grasped the significance of *permanent* as applied to our outing system. The Wylie Co. are the originators of this method—a system that is novel and entirely different from anything of this nature in America. *Permanent* means that each of the eight camps is an ensemble of tent-cottages whose military alignment and artistic setting make each "camp" a thing of beauty. *Permanent* imports a degree of fixedness that makes possible comfortable sleeping arrangements and sanitary toilet

facilities; raised board floors and double tent-tops to insure dryness; and a kind and character of tent-arrangement that provides for personal privacy. *Permanent* means that the savor and spice of "camping out" are emphasized and that the characteristic annoyances are eliminated. The *permanency* of the "Wylie Camps" promotes all the charm of outing pleasure together with that congeniality and informality that goes with camp life while encircling the nightly camp fire and enjoying the homelike service in the dining hall tents.

CAMPS AND IMPROVEMENT. The tents at all Wylie Camps are of three uniform sizes: The popular compartment style is illustrated on page 14. These tents have four rooms—two on each side of a six foot hallway. The two-bed tents, given over to families if practicable, and the single tents with one bed are cozy and spacious. All of the tents have wood-heaters in which the "Camp-boys" build fires when the mornings and evenings are cool. Years ago, the



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A Corner in one of the Wylie Dining Halls.

Company saw the vital necessity of good beds. The mattresses and springs are of the quality used by first-class hotels, and are appointed with the best sheets, cotton and woolen blankets, and comforts. The Wylie meals are well cooked and wholesome. The finest of steel ranges, a staff of experienced women cooks, and high grade foodstuffs combine to these ends. The meals are served "family style" in large permanent dining-hall tents.

NEW EQUIPMENT. Each year our service is brought up to a more uniformly comfortable standard by means of many renewals of tent, bedding and general equipment. The installment of from fifty to one-hundred per cent new accommodations in our eight camps since last season will enable us to serve the anticipated increase of travel for the 1909 season. Our recent arrangements for milk, storage, and warehouse facilities are among the noteworthy improvements.

TRANSPORTATION. It is important to remember that the \$40.00 tickets cover transportation, meals and camp accommodations. The vehicles of the Wylie Permanent Camping Co. are strong, spacious, and easy riding. They all have tops, and their open sides insure unobstructed sight-seeing. Our drivers are young men of refinement, uniformly good horsemen and attentive to the pleasure of tourists.

We have two, five, seven and eleven passenger mountain spring wagons and varied accommodation rigs which are very practicable for the accommodation of small or large parties.

THE NIGHTLY CAMP-FIRE. Nothing on the trip will foster jollity and good cheer like the singing of songs, the telling of good stories and the pop-corn feasts—all while seated around the huge nightly camp-fire. That these evenings are a joyous retrospect is evidenced by the letters which we are continually receiving from former guests. This is typical: "When we first registered and made up our party nearly everyone was an entire stranger to everybody else in the crowd, but the first evening, at the first camp, everybody seemed thoroughly acquainted and all formality disappeared."—REV. R. H. WAGGONER of the "Christian Standard," Cincinnati, Ohio.

QUESTIONS YOU WILL ASK.

WHEN TO GO? The first date of entrance for Wylie Camps is June 15th and the last, Sept. 15th; the last party leaving the Park Sept. 20th. The whole period, as a rule, is a delightful one for out-of-doors life in the mountains. In the early part of the season more snow is seen on the

mountains, more water in the streams, the falls are heavier, the flowers more abundant and the game more in evidence. Col. Chittenden favored the early days of July. August is a delightful month, but many who stay in the Park all season, think September with its crisp clear air and fine autumnal colorings, the most charming time of all.

WHAT TO WEAR? Changes in temperature in Yellowstone are not uncommon. Cool mornings and evenings, and bright warm afternoons prevail in mid-season. Medium weight overcoats and wraps are needed. Ladies should wear short skirts and heavy soled shoes. Unless the latter are worn, rubbers will be needed on the geyser formation. Gentlemen will find "last winter's suit" adapted to the trip. Umbrellas and smoked glasses are often carried. "Outing" suits are especially suitable for both sexes.

ABOUT MY MAIL? Letters you wish to receive while in the Park should be addressed "Care of Wylie Co., Gardiner, Mont.," if making the North Entrance tour; or "Care of Wylie Co., Riverside, Mont., Postoffice," if making the West Entrance tour. Mail goes out from each camp daily.

ABOUT MY BAGGAGE? Baggage amounting to twenty-five pounds allowed on each Park ticket. No storage on trunks left at Livingston, Gardiner or Oregon Short Line Depots, while touring the Park. If tourists enter one Park entrance and depart from the other, trunks are checked around by rail without cost. Cartage charge on trunks to Wylie Hotel, Gardiner; or Riverside Camp from West Entrance is 50 cents round trip.

ABOUT TOURISTS' SUPPLIES? At Gardiner and Yellowstone Station are stores where straw hats, dusters, heavy coats, etc., may be rented and supplies and curios purchased. Within the Park are similar stores at Mammoth Hot Springs, Upper Geyser Basin, and the Lake. In the Upper Geyser Basin is a studio where artistic photographs and paintings are for sale. Kodak supplies will be found at all of these stores.

DO LADIES TRAVEL WITHOUT ESCORT? It is a safe estimate that forty per cent. of our Park travel consists of ladies traveling in small parties or individually, without male escort. Ladies who are traveling the "Wylie Way" are greatly elated over our system. Our matrons at each camp give special attention to the comfort and pleasure



Photo by Atkin, Livingston, Mont.
Concrete Bridge over Yellowstone River near Canon Camp.

of women. The character of all our lady employees—teachers, students and young ladies from private homes, all drawn into Yellowstone for a summer's outing—preclude the characteristic annoyances to female travelers. Note letters from ladies in our testimonial pages.

BOOKS TO READ? Something about Yellowstone, in book or magazine form, can be found in any public library. Students of "Wonderland" will be interested in the two following works: "*The Discovery of Yellowstone Park*," by N. P. Langford, member of the Expedition of 1870, (N. P. Langford, St. Paul, Minn., \$1.00); "*The Yellowstone*"—historical and descriptive—by Col. H. M. Chittenden (Robt. Clarke Co., Cincinnati, O., \$1.50). Several works on the Northwest and our National Parks also contain valuable references or articles on the Yellowstone.

PERTINENT POINTS.

WE OPERATE DAILY—from each entrance.

THE WYLIE CAMPING COMPANY and its predecessors have been carrying tourists for twenty-six years and have built up a most novel permanent camping system, distinctive in itself, and different from anything of its kind in the Park.

PERMANENT CAMPS. The Wylie Company are the originators of permanent camps in Yellowstone Park.

EMPLOYEES. No single feature of the "Wylie Way" is more impressive than the character of its employees, both men and women. They are educated and refined people, largely teachers or students, and their service is uniformly courteous and intelligent.

BOTH ENTRANCES. The Wylie Company operates from both Park entrances. Our six day tours from Gardiner (North Entrance) and our tours from Yellowstone Station (West Entrance) are identical in scenic scope. The Wylie Company holds itself in readiness each day to accommodate guests from either entrance.

SIDE TRIPS. Our regular tickets include side trips as follows: Viewing Mammoth Hot Springs; Biscuit Basin; special guide while touring the Geyser Basin; Lone Star Geyser; Point Lookout; Grand View; Inspiration Points at the Grand Canyon.

CLEAN LINEN AND BEDDING. We maintain a laundry at each camp where cotton sheets, cotton blankets, napkins, towels, etc., are washed daily.

COWS. We keep cows at each camp and have a plentiful supply of fresh milk and cream.

BATHS from natural hot springs at Camp Roosevelt and Upper Geyser Basin. Porcelain bath tubs.

TENTS of three sizes, single, two-room and four-room compartment tents. Rugs on floors.

TEAMS AND COACHES are inspected each day.

HOT WATER brought to your apartment each morning or on stove in each tent.

MOUNTAIN SPRING WATER at each camp.

STOVES. Each tent equipped with a wood heater.

WOMEN COOKS exclusively. Meals served hot, "family style."

POP CORN around the camp fire nightly at each camp.

THE CLOSING DATE. September 15th means the last date of entrance for the regular tours.

TABLE OF DISTANCES.

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Mammoth Springs to Swan Lake Camp	6
Swan Lake to Norris	14
West Entrance to Riverside Camp	14½
Riverside Camp to Gibbon Station	15½
Norris to Gibbon Station	10
Gibbon Station to Lower Geyser Basin	10
Lower Geyser Basin to Midway Basin	3
Midway Geyser Basin to Upper Basin Camp	5
Upper Basin to Thumb	19
Thumb to Lake Camp	16
Lake to Grand Canyon	16
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Photo by Shippler, Salt Lake City, Utah.

A Wylie "Tent-Cottage"—the acme of camp comfort.

TABLE OF LARGEST GEYSERS AND SPRINGS.

NORRIS BASIN

NAME	ERUPTION IN FEET	DURATION OF ERUPTION	INTERVALS OF ERUPTION
Hurricane.....	10-15	More or less	continuous.
New Crater.....	40	22 min.	5 to 15 minutes.
Monarch.....	75	30 "	Uncertain.
Constant	40	30 sec.	1 minute.

LOWER BASIN

Fountain	20 to 60	20 min.	4 to 5 hours.
Clepsydra	10 to 40	Short	3 minutes.
Mammoth Paint Pots.....	Basin of clay, strangely colored;		40-60 feet wide.
Great Fountain.....	60 to 100	30 min.	Daily.

UPPER BASIN

Old Faithful.....	150	4 min.	68-75 minutes.
Bee Hive.....	200	8-10 "	About 4 days.
Giantess.....	150	12 hrs.	7-12 days.
Lion.....	60-75	8 min.	Daily.
Lioness.....	80	10 "	Daily.
Cubs.....	12	20 "	Daily.
Surprise.....	100	2 "	Irregular.
Grand	200	30 "	Almost daily.
Riverside.....	100	15-20 "	7 hours.
Fan.....	30-60	10 "	8 hours.
Grotto.....	20-40	30 "	3-4 hours.
Giant	250	90 "	4-8 days.
Splendid.....	200	10-20 "	Irregular.
Castle.....	75-105	30 "	12-24 hours.
Punch Bowl.....	Beautiful Spring.		
Emerald Pool.....	Beautiful Emerald colored spring, quiescent.		
Morning.....	Lovely Spring, with delicate colored rim.		
Biscuit Basin.....	Wonderful hot spring basin.		

THE TRIP DESCRIBED.

FROM NORTH ENTRANCE (Via Northern Pacific.)

First Day. Upon the arrival of the train at Gardiner, 10:00 A. M., Wylie four-horse coaches will be found on the opposite side of the depot platform. A three-minute drive takes one to the Wylie Hotel where a stop is made for lunch, affording time to change clothing, pack baggage, purchase tickets, and make necessary arrangements for the Park trip. After lunch, tourists enter the coaches and begin their tour of the "Wonderland of the World," passing through the portals of the colossal arched gateway dedicated by Pres. Roosevelt in 1903. The splendid government roadway leads up the west bank of the turbulent Gardiner River to Ft. Yellowstone and Mammoth Hot Springs—five miles distant.

Ft. Yellowstone is the capital of the Park. Four troops of cavalry are stationed here. These troopers are stationed throughout the reservation for patrol duty to prevent forest fires and the breach of Park regulations. Leaving the fort for the Hot Spring Terraces, the roadway winds about the base of the terraces, Minerva, Pulpit and Jupiter—the best general view of them all being obtained from the coach. However, many tourists prefer to get out of the coach and go over the formation on foot, meeting the coach again at the top and reserving the road-side view for the return trip. The calcareous deposits in this vicinity, resultant from hot spring activity, now largely dormant, cover an area of two hundred acres.

The road-way next takes the wondering and delighted traveler through the Hoodoo Region, Silver, and Golden Gates, and over the reinforced concrete viaduct in Golden Gate Canyon, built at a cost of \$10,000. Emerging from the Canyon, the tourist finds himself on a beautiful grassy plain, Swan Lake Flat. The traveler feels the exhilaration of the cool pine-laden air in the rapid drive of two miles across this flat to Swan Lake Camp, the first Wylie Permanent Camp. The first exclamation is likely to be one of surprise and delight at the beautiful location and comfortable and sanitary appointments of this Camp. It is situated at the base of a hill on sloping ground with a dense evergreen forest at the back and a broad meadow in front.

Second Day. At 7:00 A. M., tourists leave Swan Lake Camp for the Geyser basins. Apollinaris Spring, Obsidian Cliff; Beaver Lake, the curiously beautiful Twin Lakes, and Roaring Mountain are successively passed with cumulative wonderment. About 9:30 A. M. Norris Geyser Basin is reached. Among many objects of interest here, chief are the Black Growler and Hurricane fissures; and the Constant, New Crater and Minute Man Geysers. The volcanic disturbances here are more recent than elsewhere. After leaving Norris, the drive is down the Gibbon River, through Elk Park, past the curious Chocolate Springs, then across Gibbon Meadows and into Gibbon Canyon. The roadway and mountain scenery along this river together with the distinctive beauty of Beryl Spring, charm all. Gibbon Falls, a Cascade eighty feet high, is passed just before reaching the Wylie's Gibbon Lunch Station.

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FROM WEST ENTRANCE (Via Oregon Short Line.)

First Day. On arrival of the train at the O. S. L. Ry. terminal, Riverside, Mont., at 7:00 A. M., Wylie Concord coaches will be found on the opposite side of the depot platform. [Important note: It is essential that Wylie tourists do NOT leave the train at the railway breakfast station where the train makes the first stop before reaching the regular depot. Wylie tourists receive their breakfast on the Wylie Park ticket at Riverside Camp, just inside the Park.]

Leaving the Station, a fifteen minute drive through Christmas Tree Park lands the tourists at Riverside Camp, overlooking the Madison River. First sight of this Camp usually excites an exclamation of surprise and delight. The quadrangle of commodious pine-embowered "tent-cottages" with office, sleeping rooms and spacious dining hall—all under canvas, make a pleasing and lasting first impression. Here tourists eat breakfast, purchase tickets, repack and check surplus baggage; and make all other final preparations for the tour. After an hour here, coaching parties embark.

For the tranquil beauty of its mountains and streams, its sunlit glades and stately pine, there is no more pleasurable drive in the Park than this morning trip up the Madison and Gibbon Rivers. The junction of the Firehole and Gibbon Rivers, passed about 10:45 A. M., has a commanding historical significance. On the point of land between the two tributaries, Sept. 19, 1870, the Washburn Expedition, which first made known to the world the wonders of the Yellowstone, was camped after a month of exploration. That night several members of the party suggested that they each pre-empt claims at the principal points of interest. In the face of these not unnatural suggestions, another member of the party, Judge Cornelius Hedges, was the first to make a stand for the interests of the whole people against special privilege. Mr. Langford on Sept. 20, 1870, wrote in his diary: "*Mr. Hedges said there ought to be no private ownership of any portion of this region but that the whole of it ought to be set apart as a great National Park.*" The patriotism of the party is evidenced by the further diary entry that "*Hedges' suggestion met with an instantaneous and favorable response.*" National Park Mt. rising high above the confluence of the rivers, at this point, is a fitting memorial to the birth place of the National Park idea. A further drive of four miles up the trout-abounding Gibbon, brings the party to the Wylie Gibbon Lunch Station at the junction of the "loop" road.



Looking down one of the Avenues, Wylie Geyser Camp.



Photo by Shippler, Salt Lake City, Utah.

General View of South Part of the Upper Geyser Basin, from Wylie Camp.

After an hour or more spent in rest and refreshment here, the afternoon's journey, through the Lower Geyser Basin and the Midway Basin to the Wylie Permanent Camp in the heart of the world famous Upper Geyser Basin, is begun. In the former basin, the Fountain Geyser and numerous hot springs are found but the most interesting display is the "plopping" of the curious Mammoth Paint Pots. In the Midway Basin, the yawning Excelsior Geyser crater; Prismatic Lake, taking its name from its beautiful colored rim and the reflections of these colors in the great cloud of steam which constantly hangs over it; and Turquoise Pool demand the attention of all visitors.

On entering the Upper Geyser Basin about 4:30 P. M., Biscuit Basin to the right, recalls feminine culinary triumphs and sharpens the already stimulated appetite. Before reaching Camp, the Morning Glory Spring attracts attention as the finest quiescent spring in the Park. *The Camp here is situated in the very heart of the Basin, encircled by the Splendid, Daisy, Giant, Riverside, Grotto, and other Geysers.* No need for haste in inspecting the labyrinth of phenomena here for Wylie Tourists spend a full day in the Basin.

Third Day for North Entrance Tourists.

Second Day for West Entrance Tourists.

At 8:00 A. M. the morning of the day spent here, a guide takes the party through the great basin, pointing out and explaining the geyser phenomena. It is essential that travelers realize at the outset the scenic importance of a full day spent in this, "the most weird spot of the sort in the Universe." In far-distant New Zealand and Iceland only, can such a scene as this be found, and even in these insular countries, the spouting geysers are smaller and less interesting. How im-

portant it is, then, that the traveler's itinerary should provide ample time for a leisurely visit in this home of Old Faithful and all the great geysers. Doubly so, when to the geyser activity is added over 200 boiling and quiescent hot springs hardly less interesting. *The strongest single distinctive feature of the regular Wylie tour is the double time given in this Upper Geyser Basin.* Each of the two nights here, Wylie Tourists see the search light from Old Faithful Inn thrown upon Old Faithful Geyser and others in eruption. Old Faithful, most perfect and interesting of geysers, can be seen almost at will as it plays regularly about every sixty-eight minutes.

Fourth Day for North Entrance Tourists.

Third Day for West Entrance Tourists.

At 7:30 A. M. this wonderful Camp is left for Yellowstone Lake, 19 miles distant. Diverting from the main road near the 2-mile post, a side trip is made to the isolated Lone Star Geyser. Coral-like surface and delicate colorings make its cone the most beautiful in the Park. Soon after re-entering the main road, Kepler's Cascade, a charming piece of wildwood scenery, is passed. Two miles farther, the road leaves the Firehole and follows Spring Creek Canyon. In this Canyon are found some of the rarest and most beautiful wild flowers, including the columbine and mountain primrose. The monotonous Lodge Pole Pine gives way to stately Silver Fir and Engelmann Spruce. Scores of beaver dams in the creek, mark the activity of this rarely seen amphibious animal. A pretty little pond (Isa Lake) surrounded by high rocky walls (Craig Pass), marks the first crossing of the Continental Divide. When the snows are melting, Isa Lake



Photo by Atkin, Livingston, Mont.

Castle Geyser—It plays irregularly, but most Wylie tourists see it, for double time is given here.

sends water to both oceans. A rapid winding drive of a mile down Cork-screw Mountain brings the tourist to Delacey Creek, one of the head waters of the Columbia River system. Soon thereafter Shoshone Point is reached, where a fine view is had of Shoshone Lake and the Teton Mountains. The latter are about 60 miles distant on the line between Idaho and Wyoming. Because of the peculiarly rugged outlines, and great height, 14,000 feet, they have been noted land-marks from pioneer days. Again the road ascends to the second crossing of the Continental Divide, Two Ocean Pass. The elevation here is 8,345 feet, the highest reached on the regular tour. At a sharp turn in the road while still one mile from Yellowstone Lake and 300 feet above it, the Lake comes into full view. Here is one of the most strikingly beautiful water and mountain views in all the world! Away to the North and East, beyond the silver waters of the Lake, rise the snow-capped Absarokas, whose dark pine-clad slopes extend down to the water's edge; to the South is majestic Mt. Sheridan and the Red Mountains; while to the West beautiful forests of evergreen slope gently to the shore.

A few minutes' drive lands the tourists at Thumb Lunch Station, on the shore of Yellowstone Lake. After lunch the tourists see the Paint Pots and pools, among the latter, the noted Fishing Cone "where unfortunate trout find catching and cooking painfully near together." Tourists can, at small cost, take the launches of the Hofer Boat Co. from Thumb to Wylie's Lake Camp. To some tourists, this is a pleasant diversion from staging.

On the road around the Lake, a short distance from Thumb is the Government Fish Hatchery, where many thousands of trout are raised annually and "planted" in the Park streams. If this practice is continued, as is now intended, the Park is destined to become the most popular trout fishing region in the world. Continuing around the Lake, we catch many wonderful vistas of this great mountain-bound sea. With one exception (Lake Titticaca, Andes), it is the largest lake at this altitude in the world (7,741 feet). Its waters are fresh; and coming as they do from the snowdrips of the Absarokas are icy cold and transparent to great depths. Near the four mile post on the left is the Natural Bridge with its beautiful falls, fern and moss-covered banks, and picturesque surroundings. Tourists arrive at Lake Camp in time for fishing in the Lake that afternoon. The fish are mostly salmon trout, though silver trout are also caught. Fishing tackle, row-boats and oarsmen may be obtained at this point of the Hofer Boat Co.

Fifth Day for North Entrance Tourists.

Fourth Day for West Entrance Tourists.

At 7:30 A. M. tourists leave Camp for the Grand Canyon, sixteen miles distant. About one and one-half miles from Camp, the junction point of the Cody road is passed. This is the eastern approach to the Park and connects with the Burlington R. R. ninety-two miles distant. The route is now down the Yellowstone River and for quiet beauty and serene



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Great Fall of the Yellowstone—360 feet.

enjoyment, this drive is not excelled in the Park. The broad placid river flowing so peacefully along and bearing on its bosom pelican, wild geese, and seagulls; the charming mingling of dark stately forest and bright flowery glen, with occasional glimpses of the mountain peaks; and this scenic pleasure increased by the perfect roadway which permits of bowling along at exhilarating speed—all these combine to produce a feeling of pleasure that will linger long in memory.

About midway between the Lake and Canyon a stop is made to view Mud Geyser, a most hideous and awesome, yet interesting sight. Near by is Gothic Grotto, green-gabled over a boiling clear-water spring. The roadway now enters Hayden Valley crossing in turn the meandering Trout Creek and Alum Creek. The latter from the days of Jim Bridger to the present, has been the foundation for many interesting, if not strictly veracious Park yarns. About one mile from Camp the valley narrows and the hitherto tranquil river becomes a raging torrent. After visiting the Upper Fall in a few minutes more (10:30 A. M.) you are passing the Wylie Canyon Camp, occupying a commanding site at the very head of the Grand Canyon. It is folly to attempt description of the six mile morning drive down the west Canyon rim to Point Lookout, Grand View, and Inspiration Point, taken before returning to Camp for lunch; or the afternoon trip, better accomplished on foot, over the cement bridge and down the East Canyon rim. The Upper Fall, the Great Fall, the mystic River and the transcendent Gorge all impoverish description. Langford's feelings in 1870 will be yours in 1909. He wrote in his diary, Aug. 31, 1870: "*We are all overwhelmed with astonishment and wonder at what we have seen, and I almost despair of giving to those, who on our return home will listen to a recital of our adventures, the faintest conception of it.*" Extra accommodations have been provided at this Camp for those who wish to avail themselves of the stay-over privilege.

Sixth Day for North Entrance Tourists.

Leaving this Camp at 7:30 A. M. the morning of the last day of the regular tour, the route leads via Norris to Swan Lake for lunch, passing among other points of interest, the Wedded Trees and Virginia Cascades. At 3:00 P. M. the coaches leave Swan Lake for Gardiner, again passing Golden Gate and Mammoth Hot Springs. After supper at Wylie Hotel, Gardiner, the train is boarded at 7:15.

Fifth Day for West Entrance Tourists.

Canyon Camp is left at 7:30 A. M. for a morning's drive to Swan Lake, twenty-four miles distant. The curious Wedded Trees and Virginia Cascades are passed before reaching Norris junction. [NOTE.—*West Entrance tourists taking five day trip, go directly from this point south to Gibbon for lunch, to Riverside for dinner, and take the train at 6:45 P. M.*] For several miles now, boiling pools (as Devil's Frying Pan) and steam vents are on all sides. Roaring Mt. with its thousand hissing fissures, Twin Lakes, Beaver Lake with its dams and lodges and waterfowl, and more wonderful still, Obsidian Cliff, of black volcanic glass, are successively passed. Four miles from Camp, a stop is made at Apollinaris Spring—a pleasant product of Nature's chemistry.

The mountain vista from Swan Lake Camp is superb; Electric Peak, highest mountain in "Wonderland," Sepulcher Mt., Terrace Mt., and Bunsen's Peak are in the foreground and eastward the Absaroka Range, glittering in the rays of an afternoon sun; to the west, the Gallatin Mts., some of whose peaks are in sight for thirty miles along the roadway.

After lunch, the level drive north across Swan Lake Flat leads to Golden Gate Canyon—a most picturesque pass. "The skillful engineering feat of carrying the road through this difficult canyon was performed by Lieut. D. C. Kingman, U. S. A., in 1884-5." A winding down-hill drive of five miles,



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Grand Canon—the one spot in the Universe that baffles reproduction or description.

passing enroute through the Hoodoos, brings the party to Mammoth Hot Springs and Fort Yellowstone—the administrative headquarters of the Park. In spite of all the varying hydrothermal phenomena that have been seen in the Geyser Basins, Mammoth Hot Springs are distinctive and do not suffer by comparison. Indeed, many travelers consider Jupiter Terrace the most beautiful single creation of nature-craft in "Wonderland." Minerva Pulpit and Angel Terraces and Liberty Cap are also of compelling interest. After visiting the region, the return is made to Swan Lake Camp for dinner, lodging and breakfast.

Sixth Day for West Entrance Tourists.

The return drive to Norris is along the highway of yesterday. The Basin is reached about 9:30 A. M. Its volcanic developments are more recent than elsewhere and less interesting. The most noteworthy phenomenon is the Hurricane, a prodigious steam vent whose roar makes an imperative demand for careful notice. The Black Growler, Constant and Minute Man Geysers and Emerald Spring are the most important of the other attractions. From Norris it is a ten mile drive down the Gibbon River to Gibbon Station. Chocolate Springs, Beryl Spring and Gibbon Fall are each high in scenic value in their particular class. In the afternoon, the return drive to Riverside is made, reaching Camp at 5:30 for supper. Tourists take the train at Riverside, Mont., leaving at about 6:45 P. M.

A FEW EXPRESSIONS OF APPRECIATION FROM FORMER TOURISTS.

Preceding pages have emphasized the "Wylie Way" from our view point; below we are pleased to submit brief statements taken from the letters of representative people from every state. Only the lack of space prevents us from publishing each letter in full, and others equally appreciated by us. Wylie Permanent Camps entertained over 3,500 guests in 1908. On request we can refer you to former tourists of ours from practically every city and town in the United States.

Alabama. J. W. GANNON, MONTGOMERY.

On arrival at the entrance to the Park last summer I had no definite idea of the advantages by any of the transportation companies, but as camping was in line with my idea of seeing the Park, and as I have ample facilities for hotel life, at home, I decided to go the "Wylie Way," and found it first class all the way through. Your camps are a delightful novelty and I found the accommodations much better than in the hotels generally. Since my return I have sent three of my friends to you, each of whom has declared the Wylie Route the proper one to take.

Others: BIRMINGHAM, Samuel Wilder, Atty., A. W. Smith. MOBILE, J. C. Gardiner. BESSEMER, W. A. Simmons.

Arkansas. MRS. P. C. KNOX, 421 W. 5TH AVE., PINE BLUFF.

I had the great pleasure of going through Yellowstone Park in the "Wylie Way" the past summer. I think it is the only way to see the Park, so thoroughly unconventional and still so comfortable. The matron at each Camp welcomed us cordially and was assisted by an able, intelligent corps of helpers. Everybody was "hale fellow, well met." I shall never forget the jolly gatherings around the camp fires in the evenings, and the super-abundance of pop corn that all enjoyed.

Others: JONESBORO, Henry H. Houghton. TERRY, E. M. Talioferro. LITTLE ROCK, Miss Blanche Boyce. FT. SMITH, Dr. E. G. Epler.

Arizona. PRESCOTT, Mrs. Clara B. Heywood. TUCSON, Miss Anna Beard. DOUGLASS, J. G. Erickson.

California. J. W. CORWIN, HIGHLAND.

During the latter part of July, 1908, in company with my two sisters and brother, I had the pleasure of seeing the wonders of the Yellowstone Park from the camper's standpoint, and without any of the unpleasant features common to moving camp. The Wylie Company certainly make good on all their advertising statements, and more competent and obliging set of employees would be hard to find. Catches of fish took me several times into the kitchens, where I found everything as neat and clean as could be desired. And the way they served up a big two-foot Rainbow trout, that I was fortunate enough to capture, will always be gratefully remembered.

C. M. MYRICK, SAN FRANCISCO.

After several weeks' stay with the Wylie people, stopping at all their camps, will you allow a word of appreciation for the happy way in which you have eliminated the discomforts and increased the pleasures of a camping trip through the Yellowstone. The routes followed by your coaches and the proximity of your camps, to the natural wonders, make it easy for even the frail, and indolent, to see all the striking features of the Park. The Wylie system differs from ordinary camping in that your comfortable beds, wholesome table, prompt service and insistent neatness, leave the tourist free to devote himself to sight seeing to his heart's content.

Others: LOS ANGELES, Wm. H. Griffin, Real Estate. RIVERSIDE, E. R. Skelley. SANTA BARBARA, H. A. Adrian. LOS ANGELES, James C. Cherry, Furniture Company, Dr. H. P. Barton. SAN JOSE, Dr. C. H. Hervey. POMONA, F. H. McGowan.

Colorado. A. S. PROCTER, PRES. DENVER TENT & AWNING CO., DENVER.

Last summer I had the pleasure of taking the most enjoyable trip of my life. It was through Yellowstone via the "Wylie Way." The friendliness and cheerfulness of your employees serve quickly to break the ice and make good friends of all the fellow voyagers. Good luck to the "Wylie Way."

Others: UNIVERSITY PARK, Bishop Henry W. Warren. DENVER, C. H. Quereau, Mrs. George Ballantine, Rev. R. B. Peery. COLORADO SPRINGS, P. C. Hildreth, A. G. Crissey. PUEBLO, Judge C. S. Essex and wife.

Connecticut. C. F. BARNES, TREASURER OF THE WALLACE BARNES CO., BRISTOL.

My family and myself found, in making the trip of the Yellowstone Park under the auspices of the Wylie Permanent Camping Company, the following points of excellence: The company is run on a system without red tape; it is a true camp life with all disagreeable features eliminated; the courtesy of the matrons and all attendants keep one in good humor; the evening camp fires engender a feeling of comradeship. We cannot recommend it too highly.

CHARLES E. BEECHER, PROFESSOR OF HISTORICAL GEOLOGY, YALE UNIVERSITY, NEW HAVEN.

After considerable correspondence and personal inquiry as to the various modes of making a tour of the Yellowstone National Park, I decided that the facilities offered by the Wylie Permanent Camps were best adapted to the requirements of our party. This method of travel through the Park was especially recommended to me by an officer of the



Photo by Atkin, Livingston, Mont.

A Freak of Nature—here you can catch a trout in the Lake and, without stirring, cook it in the Hot Spring Cone.

United States Geological Survey, who has spent many seasons in the Park, in charge of parties doing scientific work for the Government. After having had some previous experience in camping in the west, and elsewhere, I can well say that the Wylie Camps are the most luxurious and best appointed I ever enjoyed.

Others: NEW HAVEN, W. E. Britton, Ph. D.; Edw. S. Swift. BRIDGEPORT, J. E. Gaylord. HARTFORD, R. A. Griffing.

Delaware. WILMINGTON, Dr. J. J. Jones, John F. Kehl.

Florida. TAMPA, C. E. Allen. JACKSONVILLE, John H. Williams. ST. AUGUSTINE, Dr. H. Lindsley.

Georgia. L. B. HOLT, PRES. FIRST NATIONAL BANK, G. W. MALONE, M. D., SANDERSVILLE.

One of the most enjoyable trips we have ever taken was a week spent in Yellowstone National Park last July. We went through the Park with the Wylie Permanent Camping Co. Yellowstone Park is the greatest sight in America, and is indeed a rare treat to be fortunate enough to spend a week there in the hands of such courteous people as the Wylie Permanent Camping Co.

Others: MILLEDGEVILLE, J. E. Kidd. ATLANTA, John Morgan. EASTMAN, C. H. Peacock and wife. AUGUSTA, Miss May Hixon. MACON, J. H. Porter.

Idaho. FRANK T. WYMAN, ATTY., BOISE.

I enjoyed my camping trip through Yellowstone Park last summer immensely, and I am very glad I went the "Wylie Way." I found the camps to be splendidly located and the service to be very good. I think there is no question but that one sees more of the Park in this manner than by any other way, and at a less expense.

MRS. F. L. HUSTON, IDAHO FALLS.

After touring Yellowstone National Park with your company I can say most heartily that it is the best way. The service is unexcelled and one could not be accorded better treatment.

Illinois. EX-MAYOR CARTER H. HARRISON, CHICAGO.

I recall with great pleasure my tour of the Yellowstone Park under your management in the summer of 1903. I consider your system of Permanent Camps as near perfect as it could be made. Personally I am very fond of camp life, and that feature of the trip lingers especially in my memory. I cannot imagine a more delightful method of viewing the beauties and wonders of the Park than under your direction.

FRED R. JELIFF, EDITOR REPUBLICAN-REGISTER, GALESBURG.

One of the most delightful and enjoyable experiences of my life was the outing in Yellowstone Park, July 5 to 11, 1906, via the Wylie Camp route. The entire trip is a rare pleasure. The tents were neat and clean and well situated; the table fare was excellent, and the system all that could be desired.

MRS. MAY COWLING, METROPOLIS.

During the summer of 1908, it was my good fortune to make a trip through Yellowstone Park with the Wylie Permanent Camping Company, and it is a pleasure for me to recommend them to any who contemplate making the trip. There were no gentlemen in our immediate party, and the kind and courteous treatment received from the Wylie Company, their guides and other employees, deserves especial recognition.

Others: CHICAGO, Rev. Edw. C. Arnold, John De La Mater, 1549 Bradley Place; O. C. Miller, Atty.; Frank P. Judson, Cashier, Bankers' Nat'l Bank; Margaret Healy, 444 Unity building. URBANA, F. L. Busey and wife. SAVANNA, G. R. Morrison. EVANSTON, Prof. A. R. Crook, Prof. Milton S. Terry. GILLMAN, Dwight L.

Parker. GALIVA, Rev. Clark M. Crissman. **GRIGGSVILLE,** James Winn. **WYOMING,** H. A. Hammond. **ELGIN,** G. E. Hawthorne. **PEORIA,** Charles D. Clark. **MONMOUTH,** Prof. G. E. Bretnell. **JACKSONVILLE,** Dr. A. M. King. **CAIRO,** Walter Warder. **QUINCY,** James E. Adams party. **GREENCASTLE,** J. P. Allen party.

Indiana. JACOB WOOLVERTON, PRES. ST. JOSEPH COUNTY SAVINGS BANK, SOUTH BEND.

With my wife and two of my sons, it was my pleasure to make a trip through the Yellowstone National Park, in July, with the Wylie Permanent Camping Company. We were at first somewhat prejudiced against the camping feature, fearing it might be too rough and not suit Mrs. W., but through the influence of some acquaintances who knew more about it, we were induced to try it, for which we were very glad. Mrs. W. joins me in saying we were to make another trip there, it would most assuredly be made the same way, by the Wylie Permanent Camps.

Others: **FRANKFORT,** Miss Flora Cox, party of six ladies. **MONTICELLO,** Rev. Arthur H. DeLong. **INDIANAPOLIS,** J. L. Musser, Dr. F. W. Hanna, W. Pink Hall.

Iowa. H. M. REED, WATERLOO.

With a party of fifteen I had one of the most enjoyable trips and experiences of my life in August, 1907, going through the Yellowstone Park with the Wylie Permanent Camping Co. I believe the ideal way to go through the Park is, via the Wylie Permanent Camping Co., as they afford more opportunities to see the beauties and the many unique features of the Park than by going through in any other way.

Others: **SHELDON,** E. E. Hall, Frank Fisher. **DUBUQUE,** Mrs. W. C. Luther, Mrs. James A. Edwards. **GRINNELL,** W. S. Walker. **MANCHESTER,** R. W. Terill. **OSKALOOSA,** George Russell. **ATLANTIC,** W. H. McConville, F. M. Nichols. **DES MOINES,** W. J. Tutt, W. H. Jackson party. **IOWA CITY,** J. J. Duncan. **RED OAK,** M. H. Vincent. **MASON CITY,** J. D. Glass. **SIOUX CITY,** Rev. P. J. O'Conner. **BOONE,** Mrs. Wm. Archer. **HARTLEY,** Frank Patch. **CEDAR RAPIDS,** Drs. V. O. and A. M. Hasek; **DAVENPORT,** Dr. J. W. Watzek. **WEST LIBERTY,** W. B. Eves. **CHARLES CITY,** H. Summers.

Kansas. OTTO H. WULFEKUEHLER, PRES. WULFEKUEHLER STATE BANK, LEAVENWORTH.

We enjoyed our trip through Yellowstone Park the "Wylie Way" last summer immensely and believe it the "Only Way," and so recommend it to our friends.

Others: **TOPEKA,** S. C. Nichols. **WICHITA,** W. C. Kemp.

Kentucky. JOSEPH BURGER, WITH PEASLEE-GAULBERT COMPANY, LOUISVILLE.

Ever since my return from Yellowstone it has been my intention to write you congratulating you on the wonderful system you have organized for taking care of your guests while touring Yellowstone. My wife was apprehensive regarding the Wylie Way, but on account of the three boys and myself, agreed to rough it, as we thought. To our surprise we were simply delighted, such splendid fare, comfortable beds, courteous employees, and everybody trying to make our trip a pleasant memory.

Others: **PADUCAH,** John S. Summers. **LEXINGTON,** Mary M. Tyne, Warren J. Fisher. **DANVILLE,** W. M. Murphy.

Louisiana. NEW ORLEANS, John W. Opdenmeyer, Robert Glenk, Gladys Ehlers, Carmen Walker. **SHREVEPORT,** A. M. Highhouse. **BATON ROUGE,** F. H. Billings.

Maine. AUGUSTA, Dr. G. R. Campbell. **PORTLAND,** Margaret Higgins. **BANGOR,** A. C. Lyon. **LEWISTON,** S. C. Leslie.

Maryland. HAGERSTOWN, A. H. Gunnell. **BALTIMORE,** Madison Marine, Atty., C. Herbert Richardson, D. D., Dr. W. Simon, (Prof. College of P. and S.), Nellie V. Mark, M. D.

Massachusetts. MRS. ELLA R. AVERY, PRINCIPAL OF TAYLOR SCHOOL, CAMBRIDGE.

When upon a trip to Alaska last summer, 1907, five of us ladies met some delightful people from Kansas City. When they knew we were to return by the way of the Yellowstone Park, they suggested the Wylie Camps, which we had never heard of. One gentleman said he had been that way three times and "wouldn't go any other way." We found everything just as they said, and now we too having realized it say, "We wouldn't go any other way." It is perfect camping and one sees much more that way at less expense, than any other.

Others: **WEST LYNN,** Wm. Miller. **FALL RIVER,** Mary E. Eddy, Margaret Newman. **WORCESTER,** P. W. Search, Cora A. Baldwin. **NEW BEDFORD,** H. A. L. Woodcock. **SOMERVILLE,** W. R. Shipman. **SPRINGFIELD,** Herbert Myrick, Eugene M. Antrim, D. D. **BOSTON,** C. P. Woodbury, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Severy, F. P. Waterhouse, Mrs. W. A. Grozier, W. J. Commery. **MELROSE,** Dr. W. H. Flanders.

Michigan. NORA A. MATHEWS, PRIN. GRADE SCHOOL, GRAND RAPIDS. With a party of four ladies from Grand Rapids it was my pleasure to join the Wylie Permanent Camping Company in August, 1908, for a trip through Yellowstone Park. We all agree that the camp life with the Wylie's added to the enjoyment of the trip. This was due to the comfortable tents, bedding, the good food and the excellent help employed by the Company, including the matrons, clerks, guides, cooks, dining-room girls, drivers, the comfortable coaches and good horses.

Others: **BIG RAPIDS,** Chas. H. Throp. **ANN ARBOR,** Rev. Chas. E. Thomas, Prof. Geo. Dock. **DETROIT,** Dr. A. W. Blain.

Minnesota. DR. H. H. LEAVITT, DONALDSON BUILDING, MINNEAPOLIS.

In July, 1908, Mrs. Leavitt and myself had the pleasure of a trip through the Park the "Wylie Way." The possibility of spending a week in tents in the fresh air of the high altitude appealed to us at once. We found the tents very comfortable and we had uniformly good meals. In addition to the regular trip, the Wylie's have invariably given their patrons a side trip down the Yellowstone Canyon and back without extra charge. We are very enthusiastic over our trip and feel that the "Wylie Way" is the only way to do the Park.

J. W. OLSEN, SUP'T OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, ST. PAUL.

I take great pleasure in stating that the accommodations which I enjoyed on my trip through Yellowstone Park with the Wylie Co. are even better than as represented. All employees were exceedingly courteous, and did everything in their power to make the trip both instructive and enjoyable. If I were to go through the Park again, I should certainly go through with the Wylie Permanent Camping Company.

PROF. W. F. WEBSTER, EAST HIGH SCHOOL, MINNEAPOLIS.

It is a pleasure to me to write you concerning the accommodations you offer to tourists through the Park. The fact that we stayed over nearly a week longer than the regular time for making the trip is, possibly, the very best recommendation I could offer. The camps are very well located, the tents are in good condition, the beds very comfortable, and the meals wholesome, clean and in abundance.

Others: **M'ORHEAD,** S. G. Comstock. **BEMIDJI,** Hon. H. Steenerson, M. C.; W. A. Gould. **NORTHFIELD,** Charles Hall. **MINNEAPOLIS,** H. A. Barnard, Prof. Paige, U. of M. Law School; J. W. Ertl, W. A. Ramsey, 1610 S. Dupont. **ST. PAUL,** Louis Nash, County Commissioner; Andrew Moynihan, H. L. Hunter.

Mississippi. J. R. DOBYNS, SUPT. INSTITUTION FOR DEAF, JACKSON.

We entered the Park on the morning of July 11, 1908, in a party of fifty, direct from the convention of Instructors for the Deaf, which had adjourned the day before at Ogden, Utah. In addition to our special party, there were fifty-six others entering the Park through your company the same morning, making 106 in all. We were all interest in seeing how you could handle such a large number at once. Everybody, I think, was satisfied after they had gone through the Park, that you could take care of an indefinite number and do it with ease.

Missouri. PROF. J. L. VAN ORNUM, WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY, ST. LOUIS.

My family and myself all feel that your plan of conducting visitors through the Park is a thoroughly fitting way to make this journey. **JULIUS SCHIRA,** VICE-PRES. J. F. CONRAD GROCER CO., ST. LOUIS.

In July, 1908, when I decided to make a trip to California and the Yellowstone with Mr. H. R. Gregory, it was chiefly on account of this camping feature of the trip. I can heartily recommend the Wylie Permanent Camping Co. to anyone wishing to visit this great wonder of the Northwest as the only way to tour the Park.

MR. AND MRS. M. E. BACON, KANSAS CITY.

To any one who dreams of a trip to Yellowstone and holds back for financial reasons, let us say that by figuring their railroad fare and meals enroute to the Park and return, by adding \$40.00, which includes



Watching the bear eat supper.

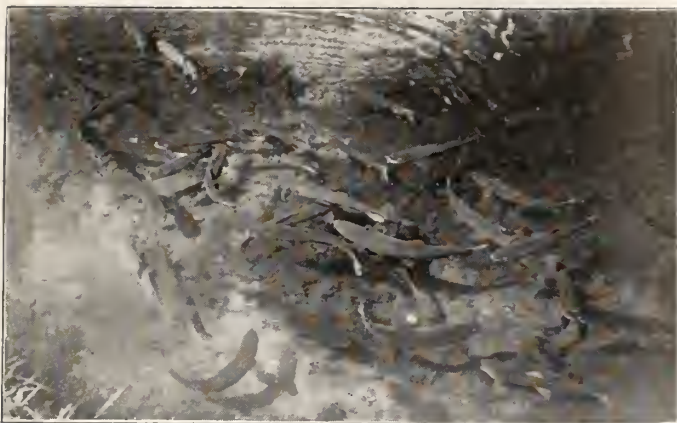


Photo by Atkin, Livingston, Mont.

*A remarkable picture showing a School of Trout in Yellowstone River.
Fishing is allowed, "nuf sed."*

everything in the Park, the Wylie fee, they have the complete cost. Not only does the \$40.00 buy more enjoyment but it obtains for the tourist as much completeness and comfort as he could possibly wish for. To those who are in poor health or frail—easily affected by change of climate—let us say that with our party there were three sisters, aged 74, 76, 78, from New York State, who "did the trip without a cough."

Others: KANSAS CITY, J. W. Merrill, Lumber Dealer; S. W. Serl, 2122 E. 31; R. T. Sloan, M. D. SEDALIA, Wm. D. Steele, Atty. SPRINGFIELD, F. G. Simmeris, Wm. Conrad party, six. LOUISIANA, Enoch Knabb, M. D. MEXICO, J. C. Pasqueth.

Montana. P. J. BROPHY, WHOLESALE GROCER, BUTTE.

I take much pleasure, in which I am joined by my entire family, in testifying to the enjoyable experience which we had during the past summer. Our tour through the National Park was enjoyable from start to finish, largely, of course, due to the striking and wondrous character of the natural phenomena, but none the less so to the promptness and capability with which the affairs of the Wylie Company are administered. If we were going again, we would take the Wylie route.

Others: BOZEMAN, B. T. Stanton. TWO DOT, Sen. C. P. Tooley. HELENA, Col. J. H. Rice. MILES CITY, Judge C. H. Loud.

Nebraska. Dr. D. A. FOOTE, 216 PAXTON BLK., OMAHA.

I made my second trip with the Wylie Company, September, 1908, and I certainly recommend it. To live out of doors is a most commendable fad nowadays and there is no place in the world where one can do it so comfortably and amid such unique and interesting surroundings as in Yellowstone Park. The tents are clean, dry, warm and inviting in every way.

Others: LINCOLN, J. M. McKiver, John Bower, John P. Williams. OMAHA, John R. Webster, Wood Allen, conductor of two large parties from Omaha, Mrs. C. H. Sampson. YORK, Rev. R. T. Cross. AURORA, Rev. F. D. Stewart. KEARNEY, Judge F. M. Hallowell.

Nevada. GOLDFIELD, Art. B. Parker. RENO, E. E. Hatch.

New Hampshire. MANCHESTER, Mary M. Tolman. CONCORD, Elizabeth Sargent.

New Jersey. NEWARK, Jennie Tennyson, Chas. Selvage. JERSEY CITY, F. Woolsey, 66 Madison Ave. PATERSON, J. B. Gallo way.

New Mexico. LAS VEGAS, F. J. Wesner. ROSWELL, Martin Armstrong.

New York. BRUNO HOBBS, INTERNATIONAL COM. Y. M. C. A., 124 E. 28TH ST., NEW YORK.

We enjoyed our trip by your route through Yellowstone Park very much. We were treated with uniform courtesy by your employees. We were especially pleased with the provision in your regular schedule for one whole day at the Upper Geyser Basin.

Dr. A. C. RICHARDSON, BUFFALO.

I was a good deal more than satisfied with the treatment I received both from Mr. Wylie personally and from all persons employed by him. The camps furnished every needed accommodation and comfort and the fare provided for visitors was of the very best.

Others: BUFFALO, Dr. Ira P. Trevett. ROCHESTER, L. M. Gould, R. D. Kneale. SYRACUSE, James Jackson, F. J. Goppelt. ALBANY, Frank B. Gilbert. ITHACA, Prof. W. L. Williams. NEW YORK CITY, George Donaldson, Washington Irving High School; Marshall S. Hager, Atty., 34 Pine St.; Dr. Wm. Gilfillan, F. H. Ruscoe, Wm. F. Rowe, Chas. L. Cohn, 271 Broadway.

North Carolina. W. H. DAVIDSON, DAVIDSON & WOLFE, GROCERS, CHARLOTTE.

My trip through the Yellowstone Park was a most delightful one. I traveled with the Wylie Co., and their service was satisfactory in every

respect. I do not hesitate to say that I consider it the very best way to see the Park. The camps were clean and attractive and everything possible was done for the pleasure and comfort of tourists. I always recommend the Wylie Co. to my friends.

Others: MILTON, E. B. Foote. KINSTON, H. H. McCoy. CHARLOTTE, Dr. C. A. Misenheimer. ASHEVILLE, John A. Mims.

North Dakota. Dr. JAMES A. RANKIN, JAMESTOWN.

Mrs. Rankin and I were thoroughly pleased with our trip through the Park with your company. The camps are pleasantly located, well kept, and the table supplied with an abundance of good, wholesome food. The treatment accorded by your employees being alike cordial and courteous, while every facility was afforded for seeing points of interest.

Others: MINOT, C. A. Grow. FARGO, Very Rev. Thos. Egan. VALLEY CITY, Mrs. Frank White. DICKINSON, W. H. Dye. BISMARCK, Mrs. E. A. Lamb. GRAND FORKS, C. C. Gowsan.

Ohio. REV. R. H. WAGGENER, "CHRISTIAN STANDARD," CINCINNATI, NAT. SUPT. OF CHRISTIAN ENDV. OF DISCIPLES OF AM.

It was my good fortune to be listed with forty-five jolly people. Everyone was an entire stranger to everybody else in the crowd, but the first evening, at the first camp, everybody seemed thoroughly acquainted, and all formality had disappeared, and all had determined to have the best time ever. From that time on I am frank to say, that I have never seen a like party get more real pleasure out of a trip than did our "Bunch" of forty-six. The party was composed of people from nearly every state in the Union.

It was the universal verdict of our crowd, which verdict took form in a set of resolutions, that the courteous, careful, thoughtful service on the part of the entire management, could not have been surpassed.

Others: CINCINNATI, Louis Roessler, Druggist; Dr. J. C. Mackenzie, Chas. H. Keith, Adda B. Christopher. CLEVELAND, H. D. Banks, Press Bldg.; G. W. Kyle, W. F. Seitz. CADIZ, D. Cunningham. AKRON, A. T. Kingsbury. ZANESVILLE, Dr. S. R. Sykes. COLUMBUS, Frank Armstrong. DAYTON, C. W. Greer. TOLEDO, Dr. Wm. Watts, 1035 Superior St.

Oklahoma.

H. S. WILLIAMS, EL RENO.

In September last I was one of a party of four from here to try the "Wylie Way" of seeing the Park, and we were delighted with the experience. Our driver left nothing undone to help us enjoy everything we saw or done, for instance, his piloting twenty braves of our party down "Uncle Tom's Trail" to the very bottom of the Great Falls of the Yellowstone, and I dare say not one of the party would have taken anything and been without this thrilling experience.

Others: GUTHRIE, R. N. Dunham, C. M. Cooper. OKLAHOMA CITY, J. L. McClelland. MUSKOGEE, Grant Foreman. MCALISTER, W. G. Wade. TULSA, Elva C. Barrows.

Oregon. REV. WM. S. GILBERT, ASTORIA.

In July, 1908, with my wife and son, I went the "Wylie Way." It is absolutely all right. The tour is great and everything is done for the comfort and pleasure of patrons. The tent scheme is just in harmony with the place, yet every convenience is afforded. The camp-fires killed any possible tendency to snobbery and made our party of forty-two seem like a company of friends.

Others: PORTLAND, Rev. D. A. Thompson, Sellwood Presby. Church; Arthur P. Prier, Fred Lockley of "Pacific Monthly;" Ida Hess.

Pennsylvania. W. H. DONNER, PRES. FRICK IRON FOUNDRY, PITTSBURG.

My boys and self spent four very pleasant weeks in the Yellowstone Park last summer. We enjoyed thoroughly our stay in the Wylie Permanent Camping Company's camps, and it brings back very pleasant memories. We thank you for the courtesies extended us by your company.

Others: PHILADELPHIA, B. S. Fagan, Irene Steele, Dr. L. B. Griffith, Dr. D. M. Livingston. PITTSBURG, Jos. W. Prescott, J. T. Hawthorne, 1234 Woodland Ave. READING, W. H. Morris, 828 No. 2nd St. HARRISBURG, J. K. Ness. WILKES BARRE, Paul J. Sherwood, Henry A. Fuller. CHESTER, Gen. P. M. Washbaugh. SCRANTON, Arthur Dunn, Atty.

Rhode Island. PROVIDENCE, George C. Rupert, 103 Comstock Ave.; Bessie M. Gaiden, Alice R. Shepard, Mrs. L. A. Stillman.

South Carolina. CHARLESTON, H. Randolph. SPARTANBURG, Arthur L. Libby.

South Dakota. MITCHELL, D. B. Miller. ABERDEEN, F. C. Benjamin. RAPID CITY, Carrie E. Clift. DEADWOOD, W. T. Robertson. LEAD, J. B. Baker. SIOUX FALLS, Miss E. M. Withey, 624 S. Dakota Ave.

Tennessee. MEMPHIS, J. W. Stotts, Real Estate, 151 Madison; C. J. Washington. NASHVILLE, Dr. Marion McFerrin, F. A. Berry, A. F. McLean. CHATTANOOGA, P. D. Sims. KNOXVILLE, Leslie R. Chiles.

Texas. J. H. W. WILLIAMS, SUPT. DEAF AND DUMB INSTITUTE, AUSTIN.

My wife and I had the pleasure of a trip through Yellowstone Park last summer with the Wylie people, and if everybody is cared for as nicely as we were, I think it a splendid way to take in the Park.

J. W. SPENCER, PRES. FARMERS AND MECHANICS NATIONAL BANK, FORT WORTH.

I, with a party of eight, Mr. A. E. Want and wife, Mrs. J. W. Spencer and two daughters, Fay and Mabel, all of Fort Worth, and Mr. H. W. Clouche and wife, of Twin Falls, Idaho, went through Yellowstone Park the early part of July, 1908, and were well pleased with the accommodations furnished by your company. All employees were exceedingly courteous, the matrons in charge of the camps were obliging, and the tents and beds were commodious and clean. I recommend your company to the public as thoroughly reliable and thoroughly alert to the interests and pleasure of their guests.

N. M. LEACH, GEN. FREIGHT AGT., I. AND G. N. RAILWAY, PALESTINE.

The Yellowstone Park trip should be taken by every good American, who wishes to get a true conception of the wonderful scenery of his native country. Accompanied by my wife and sister, I took the Wylie trip during the past summer; I found the accommodations most comfortable and the trip was particularly enjoyable on account of the unique features connected with camping out.

Others: DALLAS, Mrs. J. B. Wilson, Mrs. W. P. Jackson, L. Blaylock, Dabney Day. FT. WORTH, W. G. Newby, Banker; Jake F. Zurn, T. & P. Ry. HOUSTON, A. W. Pollard, 915 Pierce Ave.; J. C. Kidd. SAN ANTONIO, William Will and family, A. E. Mitchell, D. D. Baker. PARIS, A. H. Hafey. AMORILLA, Dr. W. R. Clifton.

Utah. FRANK M. DRIGGS, SUPT. SCHOOL FOR DEAF, OGDEN.

A party of forty-eight teachers of the deaf, including myself and wife, had the pleasure of visiting the Yellowstone National Park last July, going by the "Wylie Way." We were delighted with your camp life, your coaches, tents, meals and everything. I hope to have the pleasure of going the same way again.

J. J. CORUM, SALT LAKE CITY.

I take pleasure in writing you a word of commendation for your part in one of the bright spots in my life—a week in Yellowstone—August, 1908. Our party of ten consisted of the young, with life bubbling over, and the more matured, but all enjoying to the fullest the wonders of that enchanted spot. One has the comforts of home in comfortable, warm, clean tents and good, well-cooked food. I would advise every one who possibly can do so to make this trip and to be sure to go by the "Wylie Way."

Others: SALT LAKE, Mrs. L. L. Shepard, A. B. Gibson, W. E. Ware, Aileen Gray, Harry Shieler, Miss Elizabeth Bowman, W. G. Nebeker. OGDEN, Mrs. George J. Kelly. PROVO, Thomas F. Wambold. STOCKTON, Mrs. J. Collins.

Vermont. BURLINGTON, Henry E. Powell, Elmer B. Russell, Maud Merrihew party.

Virginia. RICHMOND, James Bellwood, Mrs. F. W. Talliaferro, M. F. Cleaton. NORFOLK, Miss C. Seawell, E. M. Albright, R. H. Fishburn party.

Washington. T. N. SHEPARD, S. A. E. HOUSE, SEATTLE.

A stage and coach transportation system without a superior; operating over roads like a city park; a series of tent hotels, providing the pleasure of camp life without the inconvenience of roughing it; good people and pleasant—that's the "Wylie Way." The Park begs any man's description. The "Wylie Way" helped me to see it in a manner satisfactory to my lungs, my nerves and my appetite.

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Washington, D. C. DR. A. W. CROFFUT, EUROPEAN EXCURSION AGENT.

I was in the Yellowstone Park last summer. I traveled with the Wylie's and enjoyed it immensely, being satisfied that I saw much more than I would have done under any other auspices. The Company is a model of its kind—ample, comfortable, and most satisfactory in every way.

Others: L. A. Bauer, Carnegie Inst.; Dr. J. W. Spencer, Edna A. Clark, Ida M. Campbell, John Callan O'Laughlin and wife.

West Virginia. HUNTINGTON, Chas. N. Anderson and wife. WHEELING, L. R. Crags, R. N. Raun. PARKERSBURG, J. F. Mallory.

Wisconsin. WILL H. GATES, STATE BANK OF MILTON JUNCTION.

Our party was well pleased with the "Wylie Way" and do not see how it could well be improved for an ideal outing.

E. W. WALKER, SUPT. WIS. SCHOOL FOR DEAF, DELAVAN.

Permit me to thank you for the very considerate and complete entertainment given both Mrs. Walker and myself by your Company. Life in your tents has all the comforts of hotel life but some way seems to accord better with the spirit of the Park. I am not through with the Park yet and on my next visit shall go the "Wylie Way."

Others: MILWAUKEE, George W. Dewey, 2811 McKinley Block; Miss Amy Fulkles, John H. Paul, Prof. Wm. Promberger, Rev. Jos. Huber. FOND DU LAC, Dr. J. P. Connell. OSHKOSH, Ellen M. Baker.

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